

DIANNE BYRUM25th Senatorial District



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Committees: Agriculture and Forestry (Minority Vice Chair); Health Policy and Senior Citizens (Minority Vice Chair); Technology and Energy; Capitol Committee; Joint Committee on Administrative Rules

Biography: Democrat, of Onondaga; born at Jackson, Michigan, on March 18, 1954; associate's degree, Lansing Community College; B.S., cum laude, Michigan State University; married to James E. Byrum; children: Barbara Anne and James Richard; served as an Ingham County Commissioner for 8 years; chaired the Ingham County Board of Commissioners' Law and Courts Committee for 3 years; vice chair, Tri-County Metro Narcotics Governmental Board; member, Greater Lansing Chamber of Commerce, South Lansing Business Association, Michigan Retail Hardware Association, National Federation of Independent Business, Michigan Democratic Party, Ingham County Democratic Party; Everett/South Lansing Kiwanis; Distinguished Citizen Award, Soil Conservation Districts, 1991; Distinguished Alumnus Award, Lansing Community College, 1995; actively engaged in the retail hardware business in Leslie since 1983, Stockbridge since 1990, and DeWitt since 1997; elected to the House of Representatives, 1990 and 1992; elected to the State Senate, 1994; Democratic Caucus Chair.

